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Political.

Mr. J. P. Davies

Will be a Candidate to represent Victoria District in the Dominion House of Commons at the Coming Election.
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To the Electors of Victoria District.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to give notice that at the next election I shall be a candidate for the honor of representing your district in the House of Commons, and in a few days I shall have pleasure in placing my views on the various political issues of the day before you in the form of an address.

Hoping for the honor of your confidence and support,

I am your obedient servant,
J. H. TODD.

Victoria, V.I., May 31, 1878. jel

Stocks and Mines.

Montgomery Quartz Co., of Chisholm Creek.

THE SIXTH ASSESSMENT OF 15 Cents per foot, levied May 19th, is now due and payable to the Secretary at Stanley.
ANDREW FLETCHER, Secty.
Stanley, May 19th, 1878. my26dw

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT AT THE ENSUING SESSION OF the Provincial Legislature the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company, Limited, will apply for an Act to enable the Company to separate their location on the Steadman ledge from the other property of the Company so as to form another company in respect of the Steadman location. Such other company to be called the Steadman Company. The shares in the Steadman Company to be offered to the shareholders in the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company in proportion to their shares in that company, and if declined to be disposed of by the Steadman Company for the benefit of the Company.
Barkerville, 18th May, 1878. my26dw

Montgomery Quartz Co., of Chisholm Creek.

THE FIFTH ASSESSMENT OF 30 CENTS per foot, levied April 19th, is now due to the Secretary at Stanley.
ANDREW FLETCHER, Secty.
STANLEY, May 4th, 1878. my12dw

Proserpine Gold and Silver Mining Co.

ASSESSMENT NUMBER FIVE OF ONE Cent per Share is now due, by order of the Trustees.

As the Company will be incorporated in a few days shareholders are requested to pay all assessments and make necessary transfers by forwarding bills of sale to the Secretary before the issue of Certificates.
my7dw HY. ANDERSON, Secty

NOTICE.

THE FIRST GENERAL MEETING OF the Vivian Quartz Mining Company, Limited, will be held at their office in Barkerville, at 2 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday the 5th of June.
By order of the Directors,
my4 ALEX. MOUATT, Secretary.

British Columbia Milling and Mining Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

THE FIRST ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per Share levied 16th May, 1878, and payable at the Company's office in Victoria, or to Charles Wilson, Agent at Barkerville, will be delinquent on 8th June next. By Order,
G. A. SARGISON, Secty.
Victoria, 16th May, 1878. my17dw

Charles Morton,
COMMISSION STOCK BROKER
MEMBER B. C. MINING STOCK BOARD.

OFFICE:—Stock Board Building, corner Government and Yates streets, Upstairs. de18dw

Henry E. Croasdaile,
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COMMISSION STOCK BROKER,

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N.B.—The Ward Room Mess are not in any way responsible for any debts that I may contract.
JOHN GREEN, Messman.
H. M. Opal, Esquimalt,
May 4th, 1878, my5 1m

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MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
je8 m VICTORIA, B. C.

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THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID by the undersigned for Hides in good order:
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Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 25.
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Saanich.....	Monday, 1 P.M.....	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Sooke.....	Wednesday, 9 A.M.....	Wednesday, 12 M.
	Monday, 3 P.M.....	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

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FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon

R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

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ARCHITECT,
Government St., below Fort St.,
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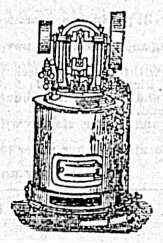
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Victoria, May 9th. my10

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H. HERBERT MOGG,
my5 Principal.

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ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

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TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 4TH, 1878.

ENGLAND'S STRENGTH.

Mr. T. H. Farrer has contributed a paper to the March number of the *Fortnightly* which is attracting a great deal of attention in the world. The information it conveys must have opened the eyes of some who were accustomed to sneer at what they were pleased to term British decadence. Mr. Farrer shows that when Britain came out of the great Napoleonic struggle in 1815 she had about 9 per cent. of the population of the five first-class powers of Europe. She has now about 13 per cent. Since that time her amount of taxation has been continually on the increase, but its rate per head since 1826 has continually diminished; while the *per capita* tax in almost all other countries has greatly increased. This, however, gives a very inadequate idea of the potential taxation of England. Every penny per pound added to the income tax yields £1,800,000. That tax now, under the present Budget, will be 5d.; while during the Crimean war it was as high as 16d. Since 1840 taxes to the extent of more than thirty-two millions of pounds have been remmitted, and yet the unrepealed ones, which in 1841 yielded £51,082,000, brought £68,514,000 in 1877. The banking capital of England is eight times that of Russia. Russia borrows at 6¼ per cent., England at 3½. In 1803, the assessment in Great Britain for income tax was £115,352,000; in 1875, £535,708,000. The savings of the poor in 1830 were £13,508,000; in 1876, £70,280,000. We are often assured that pauperism is eating like a cancer into England's vitals, and that the number of paupers is always on the increase. In 1841 eight per cent: of England's population were paupers; in 1876 only three per cent. were in that condition. There is to be sure more spent upon them, but that is because they are better treated. In 1834 there were 22,451 committals for crime in England; in 1876, in spite of the increase of population, only 16,078. Since 1820 the exports of British produce have increased more than five-fold, and the exports and imports have unitedly been nearly doubled since 1860. In 1830 653,000 tons of pig iron were produced; in 1875, 6,365,462. The Merchant Navy of England is nearly as large as those of all the rest of Europe, In physical health and strength, in education, in religion, in the administration of justice, in increased harmony among the different classes, in the extent and loyalty of her dependencies, and in the general prosperity and comfort of all sections of her population the same gratifying advancement is to be marked.

To her credit Britain has, for the last fifty years at any rate, shown a praiseworthy reluctance to entering upon any war, whether large or small. But this has not arisen from the enervating influences of mere material prosperity, or from a conviction that she has neither the spirit nor the relative resources of other days. It would scarcely be an exageration to say that a single ship of her present navy would be more formidable and would carry a heavier broadside than the whole fleet that gained Trafalgar. It is fashionable for some foolish folks to say that Britain cannot now be even kicked into a fight. Britain is reluctant to fight because her people have a vivid idea of what war means, and because she knows that with any of the Great Powers it is impossible for her to carry on a little war. But it is just as well for those who say there is "no fight left in her" not to presume too far. Relatively Britain is to-day far stronger both for defence and aggression than when she came out of the struggle with her giant opponent in 1815. She has not yet become enervated, far less is she sunk into her second childhood. War has no attractions for her people. Glory is to her now no more than in former days a word to conjure with. But if war should be forced upon her either now or at some subsequent period, we greatly mistake if it will not be shown that the Britain of to-day can do and dare as much as ever she did in any previous part of her eventful history.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY IN TIME OF WAR.

In connection with threatened Russian attacks on British commerce in the North Pacific, we have drawn attention to the vast importance of the Canadian Pacific Railway as an Imperial work and for Imperial purposes. This view is well sustained by some passages in a carefully-prepared paper, by Mr. Sandford Fleming, on Canada, which was read recently at a meeting of the Royal Colonial Institute, the Duke of Manchester presiding. Mr. Fleming says:—

"*I am prepared to admit that there are many weighty reasons why some one of the lines projected across the continent should be pushed to completion more rapidly than colonization purposes actually demand.* I have already mentioned that the enterprise known as the Canadian Pacific Railway has been designed for a purpose *beyond* that of settling the vast interior of the country. One of the objects is to unite the Pacific and Atlantic coasts with a continuous line of railway without passing over foreign sea or soil. How can I very briefly—for I fear I have exhausted your patience—how can I, in a few words, set forth the *immense importance of the Empire* of having a line through Canada in operation as speedily as possible? Esquimalt, the naval station on the Pacific, and possibly the great Pacific arsenal of the future, is some four months' steaming distance from England. I venture to state that by the projected Canadian lines it would be possible to carry dispatches" (and it might have added, even war material) "from London to this station on the Pacific in thirteen or fourteen days, and that New Zealand could be reached in less time than it has ever yet, as far as I have learned, been reached. The great Australian provinces must surely be interested! A railway across America on British soil must be of some moment to *every* British station in the North and South Pacific Oceans. It would open a new route to India! There would probably be less nervousness felt from day to day, and from month to month, here, in the heart of the empire, about the 'Eastern question,' if we had an overland route through Canada. And in this view the consideration of a very simple yet important Western question might in some degree diminish the interest felt in a very serious and complicated Eastern question."

AUSTRALIAN TRADE.

The Americans are waking up to the fact that there is a big trade to be done with Australia by some body. The foreign commerce of our sister colony in 1875 amounted to $458,399,205; of which England had the larger share. The N. Y. *Herald* contrasts with regret the facts that while for the five years ending with 1876, England's trade with Australia averaged yearly $224,135,573; that of the United States only amounted to $6,479,988 per annum. There is no doubt they will make an effort to secure this trade to a far greater extent than they now have it; and we in Canada should not be behind in our efforts to accomplish the same purpose. We are making a fair beginning since last year; but it will require some pushing if it is to amount to anything of importance. We occupy a favorable position as regards practicability of access; we have the facilities for trade to a considerable extent, and we are not hampered with the "unwise legislation and the want of adequate means of steam communication of which the *Herald* complains. —*London Advertiser.*

THE LAST ATTEMPT.

The telegraph brings intelligence of another attempt to take the life of the Emperor of Germany. About 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, as His Majesty was passing along the beautiful avenue Unter der Linden, in Berlin, he was fired upon from a window with a gun loaded with buckshot and wounded in the face and arm. His Majesty lost much blood. The injuries are not supposed to place the royal life in danger; but the shock and exhaustion to the system of a person who has attained the ripe age of Emperor William, must be very great. It is scarcely ten days ago that we announced an attempt on the Emperor's life, and the would-be assassins on that occasion had not been tried before the second, and more successful attempt, is announced. The determination on the part of the Government to suppress Socialist or Communistic clubs probably prompted the cowardly deed.

COMING TO OREGON.

The afflicted will be glad to learn that a corps of Surgeons from the National Surgical Institute, fitted out with a complete assortment of apparatus for the treatment of every human deformity, will again visit Portland, Oregon, at the St. Charles Hotel from June 25th to July 1st, inclusive, 1878. This Institution, originally founded at Indianapolis, Indiana, has extended its business throughout the United States and has attained a reputation for the successful treatment of Spinal Curvature, Hip and Knee Joint Diseases, Club Feet, Paralysis, Piles and Fistula, heretofore unknown to the profession. References of the highest order can be given ∴

REMOVED.

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business.

MRS. C. T. WARREN, milliner, &c., has opened store in Fort street, in the building recently occupied by Mrs. Shakespeare. *

MILLINERY A SPECIALTY.—Hats, caps or bonnets made to order. Mrs. C. T Warren, Fort street. *

New Advertisements

House Mover & General Contractor

E. R. PHELPS

HAVING BY MUTUAL CONSENT DISSOLVED partnership with Mr. Willis Bond wishes to notify the public that he is prepared to do the above work with dispatch, and guarantees satisfaction to those who employ him.
Residence—Corner View and Blanchard sts. je4

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Cumberland Young, late of Yates street, Victoria, deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are requested to send in their accounts on or before the 3rd day of September, 1878, to J. E. MAYERAU,
Official Administrator,
Or to E. Harrison, Jr., Barrister-at-Law, Victoria. je4

To Let.

TWO LARGE, LOFTY AND WELL LIGHTED Offices in the B. C. Stock Board Building. Possession of one can be had immediately and of the other on the 1st July next. Apply to
je4 C. MORTON.

Cadboro Bay Farm and Milk Ranch.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INTIMATE that in consequence of the improved condition of business he has decided not to dispose of his Farm and Milk Ranch at Cadboro Bay, and will continue to serve customers with Butter and Milk at the usual rates.
je4 1m* BENJ. EVANS.

Caution.

I THE UNDERSIGNED NOTIFY TO ALL parties not to occupy the land bequeathed to me by the will of my brother Frederick Andrews, of Vancouver Island, deceased. The will is registered in the Probate Court, Victoria, Vancouver Island.
(Signed) THOS. ANDREWS.
Auckland, N.Z., 25th March, 1878. je4dw

Comox District.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE CASH purchase of the pre-emption claim of 100 acres, late the property of Calvin Farr, deceased, will be received up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 3d July next, by the undersigned, from whom further particulars may be obtained.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

NOTICE

In the Goods of Calvin Farr, late of Comox District, Deceased, Intestate.

DEBTORS TO THE ESTATE ARE required to pay the amounts due by them forthwith to the undersigned; and creditors of the Estate are requested to send in their claims within one month. CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

NOTICE.

ALL PRIVATE ACCOUNTS AGAINST Captain Robinson, of H. M. S. Opal, should be sent to Mr. Innes at the Dockyard before the 8th inst.
Esquimalt, 3d June, 1878. je4 2t

SALE OF WORK.

On Saturday next, June 8th.

AT THE BOYS COLLEGIATE SCHOOL

FROM 11 TO 4.

THE BISHOP'S CLOSE

Ladies' Working Party

Will offer for sale

USEFUL ARTICLES OF CLOTHING

AT REASONABLE RATES.
je4

New Advertisements.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
1st June, 1878.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor is empowered, under the "Consolidated Public School Act, 1876," from time to time to alter the boundaries of the existing School Districts; and whereas it is expedient to alter the existing boundaries of the Victoria, Cedar Hill, Lake and Craigflower School Districts. It is hereby notified that His Honor the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to alter the boundaries of the said School Districts; and from and after the date hereof the following shall be the boundaries of the said districts:—

VICTORIA SCHOOL DISTRICT.—All that piece of land commencing at the south-east corner of section 10, Victoria District; thence following the water line of Victoria Arm to the north-west corner of section 5; thence to the north-east corner of said section; thence in a straight line to City boundary post, or Jewish Cemetery Hill; thence following City boundary to the point where it cuts the northern line of sections 75 and 76; thence along said line and its continuation to salt-water at Oak Bay; thence along the shore south and west, following the water line to the point of commencement on Victoria Arm.

CEDAR HILL SCHOOL DISTRICT.—Commencing on Victoria Arm at the south-east corner of section 10; thence north along said section line, and the line between sections 7 and 41, 24 and 18, 49 and 50, to section line between 82 and 50, thence east to Saanich Road; thence north to boundary line between Lake and Victoria Districts; thence along said line to the salt-water in Cordova Bay; thence along the water line to the north-east limit of the Victoria School District; thence west along the northern boundary of said district to point of commencement on Victoria Arm.

LAKE SCHOOL DISTRICT.—All that piece of land commencing at the north-east corner of section 50; thence west to Colquitz stream; thence north along said stream to the north-west corner of section 5 in Lake District; thence along section line between 1 and 20 to where said line strikes section 22; thence across said section and along the line between sections 116 and 117 to the western boundary line of Lake District; thence north to the south-west corner of South Saanich District; thence east along the boundary line between South Saanich and Lake to salt-water; thence south along the water-line to the north-east boundary of Cedar Hill School District; thence along said boundary to point of commencement.

CRAIGFLOWER SCHOOL DISTRICT.—Commencing at the south-west extremity of Cedar Hill School District and following the western boundary of said district to where it strikes the southern boundary of Lake School District; thence along the boundary of said district to the north-west corner of section 116; thence along section line between 116 and 117 west, to the line between R. 1W. and R. 0 W., south, to the boundary line between Lake and Esquimalt Districts; thence west to the north-east corner of section 98, marked on the official map as "Government Reserve;" thence along the east line of said Reserve and Mill River to Parson's Bridge; thence along the water-line of Esquimalt Harbor southeasterly to the south-western corner of section 26, Esquimalt District; thence in a straight line to the south-western extremity of section 10; thence along the southern boundary line of said section to Victoria Arm; thence north to the point of commencement.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
je4dw Provincial Secretary.



FORESTERS' FETE!

THE FORESTERS WILL HOLD THEIR third Annual

GRAND DEMONSTRATION

AT THE

Caledonian Grounds, Cook Street,

On Saturday, June 15th, 1878.

A SPACIOUS PLATFORM will be erected for Dancing and Professor Haynes' Band will be in attendance during the afternoon and evening.

A Grand Drawing of Prizes from Little John's Tombola will take place in the afternoon. The Prizes will be on view in the window of D. Green, Clothier, etc., opposite the Postoffice.

Programme of Games.

Archery for Ladies, 40 yards—Entrance free, prize pair Gold Bracelets.
Archery for Gentlemen, 80 yards—Entrance 50 cts.; prize Emblematic Medal.
High Pole Jump—Ent. 25cts; 1st prize $3; 2d $1 50.
Standing Long Jump—Ent. 25cts; 1st prize $3; 2d $1 50.
Running High Jump—Ent. 25cts; 1st prize $3; 2d $1 50.
Hop, Step and Jump—Ent. 25cts; 1st prize $3; 2d $1 50.
Back Jump—Ent. 25cts; prize $2.
Foot Race, 100yds—Ent. 25 cts; 1st prize $3; 2nd, $1 50.
Sack Race, 60yds—Ent. 25cts; 1st prize $3; 2d, $1 50.
¼ Mile Race—Ent. 50cts; 1st prize $5; 2nd, $2 50.
Girls' Race, 60 yds, under 14 years—Ent. free; 1st prize $1 50; 2nd $1; 3d 50cts.
Boys' Race, 60 yds, under 14 years—Ent. free; 1st prize $1 50; 2d $1; 3d 50 cts.
Gymnastics—Ent. 25cts; prize ∴.
Catching Pig by Greasy Tail—Ent. 25cts; prize the pig when caught.
Quoiting Match, 18 yards—Ent. 50cts; 1st prize $5; 2nd $2 50.
Prof. Watson will put in an appearance with Aunt Sally.
Parlor Shooting and several other novelties will be introduced.
The Foresters will form in procession at 1 p. m. sharp under the direction of C. J. Phillips, Esq., Grand Marshal, and march to the ground headed by Prof. Haynes' Band.
Refreshment and liquor stands will be on the grounds.
Admission 50 cents; Children under 12 years of age Free.
my17 HENRY SOAR, Secty.

Beaconsfield Copper Mining Company, Limited.

A MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS of the Beaconsfield Copper Mining Company, Limited, will be held on Saturday, 15th inst., at 2 p. m., for election of Directors, &c., in the rooms of the B. C. Stock Board. JAMES BURNS,
je2 Secretary.

Coming! Coming!

— AT —

THEATRE ROYAL

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Commencing on Monday, June 3rd, 1878

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Original Casts, New Scenery, Genuine Colored People and Jubilee Singers.

Prices as usual. Reserved seats 50 cents extra. Box Sheet at Redfern's Jewlery store, my30

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Kane Street, Victoria,

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WE INVITE THE FISHERMEN OF BRITISH Columbia to ask their merchant or outfitter for samples and prices for our **Standard Cotton Seine Netting and Nets**; 70lbs. cotton gives as large area of spread as 100lbs net. Cotton is universally used in the United States, France and England in the fisheries, and it is more economical and durable than hemp
AMERICAN NET & TWINE CO.,
my7dw3m Boston.

New Advertisements.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO'Y.

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HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.
DEPUTY GOVERNORS.
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W. T. LIVOCK, Esq., Chief Trader Hudson's Bay Company.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
Agents, and Secretaries to the Local Board.
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Wharf Street, Victoria.
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A BYLAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $20,000 for the purposes therein set forth.

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria has resolved to raise the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars to pay off certain outstanding liabilities of the said Council.

And whereas it will require the sum of $2012 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest as is hereinafter mentioned.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised Assessment Roll being for the year 1878 was $2,494,500, irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the Municipality and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends from the work, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investments of the sinking fund or of any part thereof.

And whereas for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the said principal sum of $20,000 and interest as hereinafter mentioned it will require an equal annual special rate of one-tenth of one per cent. on the dollar.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

1. That it shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000), and cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object above recited.

2. That it shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required not less than one hundred dollars each ($100) each and that the said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria and be signed by the said Mayor.

3. That the said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the Treasurer of the Municipality.

4. That for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest at the rate aforesaid to become due thereon, an equal special rate of one-tenth of one cent on the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property in the said Municipality during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

5. Clause two of the Victoria Revenue By-Law, 1875, as amended by the "Water Works Debenture and Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1877," is hereby further amended by striking out the words "nine-tenths" and substituting the words "eight-tenths."

6. It shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council from time to time to repurchase any of the said debentures and such debentures shall be expressed as to entitle the said Council to redeem and purchase the same on paying the amount thereof and interest due thereon to the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof; and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled and destroyed and no re-issue of debentures shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

7. That this By Law shall take effect and come into operation upon the eleventh day of June, A. D. 1878.

8 This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "By-Law to authorize the raising of twenty thousand dollars, 1878."

Passed the Municipal Council this 29th day of May, 1878. R. FINLAYSON,
Mayor.
WILLIAM LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE IS A true copy of the proposed Bylaw upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken, at the Police Barracks, Bastion St., for Yates St. Ward; the City Council Chambers, Government St., for James Bay Ward; and J. W. Williams' Stables, for Johnson St., Ward, on Monday the Tenth day of June, 1878, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 5 o'clock p.m.

WILLIAM LEIGH,
my31 Clerk of the Municipal Council.

Henry Rhodes & Co.

AGENTS FOR THE

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Ale and Stout, Blood, Wolfe & Co's and other good brands.
Champagne, Bouche, Fils & Co's, and Rinuart Pere et Fils.
Clarets, A large assortment in case and in cask.
Brandy, Hennessy, Martell, DeLaage Fils & Co. in case and in cask.
Whiskey, Scotch, Irish and Canadian, in cases and casks.
Gin, Hollands and Old Tom.
Port, Sherry and Sauternes.

Blankets, all sizes and colors,
Printed Calicoes, White Sheetings,
Brown Cottons,
White & Colored Quilts, &c.

EARTHENWARE, A GOOD ASSORTMENT,

Glassware, Plain and Cut, a good assortment.

Ironware, Saucepans, Frypans, Buckets, &c

WINDOW GLASS, 16, 21 and 26 oz., GOOD ENGLISH.

FRENCH GOODS,

SOFT SHELL ALMONDS, PRUNES IN TINS, SARDINES, PRESERVED VEGETABLES, MUSHROOMS, OLIVES, &c., &c.

HOCKIN, WILSON & CO'S ASSORTED SAUCES, &c.

J. T. MORTON'S Assorted Sauces, Preserved Provisions and Confect'y.

SUGAR, China, Nos. 1, 2 & 3.

TEA, China and Japan.
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NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of John Dunstan, late of Esquimalt, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 31st day of August, A. D. 1878; to
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 31st May, 1878. je1 3mdw

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TORONTO TOBACCO WORKS,
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PERFECTION SILVER BARS—Bright and Dark Navy. je24 3m

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Ever imported into the Province, which will be opened in a few days by
je1 **BAGNALL & CO.**

Wanted.

Wanted.

A FEMALE SERVANT TO COOK, Etc., in a private family. Address "D." at THE COLONIST Office. my16

Wanted.

A MAN AND WIFE WISH EMPLOYMENT. The woman is a good cook, washer and ironer. Man understands horses and gardening or hotel work. Enquire at This Office. ap19

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL noon of the 10th June, for the erection and completion of a 7-roomed Cottage at James Bay.
Plans and specifications may be seen at my office.
Parties may tender for the whole or part of the work.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JAMES SYME, Architect.
Masonic Building, Government St.,
Victoria, May 29th, 1878. my31

The Gorge Bridge.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Gorge Bridge is unsafe for heavy traffic.

Persons driving buggies and light waggons are cautioned not to drive over the said Bridge at a greater pace than a walk.

Notice will be given when the structure has been repaired.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, May 31st, 1878. je1dw

STRAWBERRIES.

PERSONS WISHING TO BE SUPPLIED with Strawberries during the Season will leave their orders with any of the officers of the Steamer Enterprise, or order by mail from the subscriber.
WM. CLARKSON,
je2 New Westminster.

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 4TH, 1878.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

June 3—Str Dakota, San Francisco
Str Alexander, Nanaimo
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

June 3—Str Dakota, Pt Townsend
Str Alexander, Nanaimo
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str Emma, Nanaimo
Sch Black Diamond, Nanaimo

PORT OF PORT TOWNSEND, W.T.

ENTERED.

May 24—Str City of Panama, Victoria
27—Str California, Victoria
28—Sch Mist, Victoria
Sch Letitia, Victoria

CLEARED.

May 24—Bkt Joseph Perkins, Honolulu
25—Sch Orcas, Victoria
26—Str City of Panama, Nanaimo
27—Sch C. C. Perkins, Nanaimo
Sch Reporter, Feejee Islands

PORT OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

ARRIVED.

June 2—Bkt Tam O'Shanter, Columbia River
Ship Otago, Pt Blakely
Sch Arcata, Coos Bay
Ship Eldorado, Seattle
Bkt CatherineLudden, Pt Ludlow
Bkt W. H. Gawley, Pt Madison
Sch Alice, Pt Gamble
Str City of Panama, Victoria

SAILED.

June 2—Sch Frithrop, Pt Gamble
Ship Coquimbo, Pt Madison
Bkt Quickstep, Seattle
Bk Roswell Sprague, Pt Gamble

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmp Dakota, fm San Francisco—Joseph Spratt H Mansell, F Norris, A & W Wilson, J H Todd, J Quagliotti Romano, A McLean & Co, J Hirst, Mrs A Farron, A Mayer, J McLean, Mrs M Stores, A Bossi, Jas Ellard, Matthews Richards & Tye, A S Bates, J Wise, Moore & Co, B C Packing Co, Jas Harvey, Mrs Levy, B Golding, J S Drummond, Oppenheimer Bros, Lowen & Erb, P Ousterhout, E Grancini, Order, J Huntington, Peter McQuade, Cameron & Ross, J Weiler, J Rueff, D W Higgins, R Carr, Jay & Co, D S McDonald, J F Hawks, Rev E M Haine, Dean Bros, J Crawford, Rickman & Ofner, D Chisholm, H J Young, R W Fawcett, D Guillio, S L Kelley & Co, S J Pitts, E Marvin, Hudson Bay Co, Stewart & Braden, F Neufelder & Co, J Gosnell, Turner Beeton & Tunstall, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, King & Co, R Robert, Langley & Co, T Shotbolt, Lewis Lewis, Fellows & Roscoe, L Stemmler, Tai Chong, Fell & Co, L Gold, Tai Soong, G Bossi & Co, Lane Pike & Nelson, W Reeny, G Gilespie, E Marvin, T McK Lambley, G C Keays, Mansell & Holroyd, W Grimm, H Saunders, M W Waitt & Co, Wm Jackson, T N Hibben, Uriah Nelson, W McNiffe, Thos Wilson & Co, DeWolderhol l, Wells-Fargo, H M Bole, Wm Charles, Henry Short, Hugh Boyd, Stahlschmidt & Ward.

Per str North Pacific, fm Puget Sound—WRaCo, AB Levy, HB, L in dls, McNiffe, Bowman, D Conroy.

MARRIED.

In this city, on Saturday, June 1st, by the Rev. C W. Rigg, Emma, eldest daughter of Wm. Smith, of Swan Lake, to William H. Lewis.

By the Rev. W. Pollard, on the 3d inst., at the residence of F. G. Richards, Esq., William Danford Purdy, of New Westminster, to Miss Lucy Smith, of Ontario, Canada.

British Columbia Mines in England.

The San Francisco correspondent of the London *Times* writes as follows of the recent quartz and alluvial gold discoveries in British Columbia under date of April 7th:—

Important information has been received from British Columbia of the discovery of rich gold mines, which are likely to prove better fields of investment to the British capitalist than those of California and Nevada. A few months ago a gigantic ledge of gold ore was struck at Cariboo 20 feet to 30 feet in thickness, and many miles in length. One company, now in full operation, have a tunnel in ore that averages $100 to the ton, an average that exceeds any yet found on the far-famed Comstock lode. The Cassiar placer diggings are reported on official authority to be turning out extremely well, and there is every prospect of their development increasing in the future, as the facilities for reaching them are promoted by the construction of good roads. What is now wanted in British Columbia are men with some capital to carry out the working of the mines now in hand, and to develop new discoveries. An accession of labor is not required, nor, under present circumstances, is it desirable. Although it is safe to predict that the country will soon become one of the richest mineral producing countries in the world, it would be premature to recommend it as a field for emigration.

San Francisco Stock Report.

(Exclusive to Colonist.)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—Alpha 11¼; B & B 14⅛; Belcher 2.45; Bullion 4.20; Con Va 14⅜; Cala 21¼; Chollar 25⅛; Confidence 4.15; Imp'l 75c.; Point 3.70; Caledonia 1.90; Exchequer 2.70; Eureka 53¾; G & C 6¾; H & N 7¼; Julia 7¾; Justice 3.65; Mexican 10¾ Ophir 43½; Overman 12; Savage 11¼; Succor 20c.; S. Nev. 4.80; Union 5¼; Utah 8¾; Jacket 8¾.

Financial.

PORTLAND, June 3.—Gold in New York 1¼; Greenbacks in Portland 99¼ @ par; silver coin 3@2¼ per cent discount.

TROUBLES OF THE NICARAGUAN SHIP FRANK AUSTIN.—The San Francisco *Bulletin* says: Six seamen of the crew of the ship Frank Austin were brought to this city by Deputy United States Marshal Dunlap from Los Angeles yesterday and lodged in jail. The Frank Austin cleared from this port a few weeks ago under the Nicaraguan flag, and went ashore in the harbor of Santa Monica. She was hauled off by a steamer of Goodall, Perkins & Co's line and put into Wellington harbor. The seamen, when ordered to turn to for duty refused on the ground, as they say, that the vessel was unseaworthy; that they shipped on an American vessel for a domestic port, and were not aware the vessel was under a foreign flag and bound for a foreign port until they got to sea. They were held to answer before the Grand Jury on charges of disobedience of orders by Commissioner Whiting of Los Angeles county in $250 bail each. Goodall, Perkins & Co. have filed a libel in the United States District Court against the Frank Austin to recover salvage for hauling her off the Santa Monica beach.

NANAIMO ASSIZES. — The hon. Judge Gray and court will leave by the steamer Cariboo Fly to hold the Spring Assizes at Nanaimo. Mr. Theodore Davie will act for the Crown.

THE contract for Messrs. Bossi & Gieselmann's building, corner Yates and Broad streets, was awarded to Mr. Robt. Franklin.

THE quartz crushing mill for the Alaska Gold and Silver Mining Company will go up by the California, next trip.

Report on the Canadian Fishery Awards.

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 17.—Secretary Evarts' communication on the Fishery Commissioners' Award is an elaborate and voluminous review of the entire history of the controversy and of the proceedings connected with its settlement. The Secretary says there was no fault or omisson on the part of our agent or counsel in presenting our case. He shows that the gross value of the fisheries in question to the Americans for the five seasons before the Commission concluded its labors was only $472,353, a sum for which the excessive award, $5,500,000 for twelve years, was out of all proportion. He further shows that the actual net profit to the Americans was but $25,000 a year. The Secretary predicts that unless the subject of inshore fisheries be thoroughly settled now it will return to vex the United States seven years hence.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The report of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on the Fishery award concludes as follows:

We would suggest, in the event of payment of the award by the United States, that the utmost care and circumspection be employed to disabuse the minds of the British and Canadian Governments, as well as the British and Canadian people, of any possible impression that the American people do, or even can, accept the award of the Halifax Commission as a just measure of value of inshore fisheries in Canadian waters. Against such inference, deduction, conclusion or belief, the Congress of the nation, the Senators of the States and members of the House of Representatives respectfully, but firmly and decidedly protest; and they do not protest merely from the sense of injustice that is done in the award, but also especially because, in future negotiations with England regarding trade and commerce between the United States and the Dominion of Conada, the Goverument of the United States will not recognize the award of the Halifax Commission as in any sense a just measure of value of the fisheries in question.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before H. C. Courtney, Esq., P.M.)

MONDAY, June 3rd.

Johnny Massett, on remand, charged with being a suspicious character, was further remanded for two days.

Richard Horn, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined $1 25.

MINING ENGINEER. - Mr. J. S. Phillips, a distinguished mining engineer and author, arrived per steamer Dakota from San Francisco on Sunday last with the intention of making this Province his future home. Mr. Phillips is a gentleman who stands exceedingly well in his profession, and is the author of "The Miners' and Metallurgists' Companion," a volume that demonstrates the writer's knowledge of the various branches of mining. Mr. Phillips is not only a scientific engineer but has had many years practical experience, and his services will be readily appreciated here. He is also an assayer of repute and the inventor of several devices used in the saving and extraction of precious metals.

THE FENIAN FRIGHT.—The alarm in the East concerning a Fenian raid would appear to be entirely groundless. A few tramps encamped in a piece of wood on the Vermont border, and one or two sensational articles in a New York paper, created a wide-spread alarm which more recent information does not justify. What might occur should Great Britain and Russia become involved it is impossible to say at present; but the opinion is general that a raid would amount to nothing even under the most favorable circumstances.

LIFE INSURANCE.—From the last number of the *Journal of Commerce*, Montreal, we clip the following:—"The Globe Mutual Life Insurance Company heads all English and American companies in amount of business done in Canada for 1877, which foots up to nearly 1¼ millions dollars." The popularity of their reserve dividend system is unmistakably indicated by the immense amount of business secured, especially as they had 36 companies to compete with. The information and explanatory pamphlets of the reserve dividend plan will be cheerfully supplied on application to Frank S. Barnard, agent for the company.

H.M.S. OPAL, Captain Robinson, left Esquimalt at 3:15 a. m. yesterday, having received instructions by mail on Sunday last to proceed to San Francisco, there to meet H.M.S. Turqoise and Daring for orders. H.M.S. Opal has made quite a long stay with us having been in Esquimalt one year and seven days, during which time the captain, officers and men have made themselves generally liked both in Esquimalt and Victoria, and their departure will be much regretted by their numerous friends. The Opal will probably return to this station in a few weeks.

RETURNED.—Senator Carrall, Hon. A. DeCosmos, M. P., Mr. Thompson, M. P., and Dr. McInnes, M. P., returned by Sunday's steamer from Ottawa. The three last named gentlemen will stand for re-election to the Commons. Mr. Edward Willson and wife returned from England on Sunday. They have come to the conclusion after giving "Old England" a fair trial as a place of residence that there's no place like Vancouver Island.

NEWSPAPER THIEVES.—Carriers of the City papers complain that subscribers are frequently deprived of their newspapers by thieves who steal the copies from the doors. There were five complaints from subscribers on Sunday morning that THE COLONIST was abstracted from their doorway. The police have been asked to keep a bright lookout for the offenders.

FOSTER CO.'S CLAIM.—A survey of the Foster Company's ground, Cariboo, has just been completed. The surveyors stripped portions of the ledge for 90 feet to get the bearing. The letter from which the above information is taken, continues: "Several strangers who profess to know the character of rock say that the Foster is the best yet discovered. * * * No person speaks disparagingly of the company or its ground."

COMMONS ELECTIONS.—All is doubt and uncertainty as to when the Dominion elections will come off. The "Outs" in Canada incline to the opinion that July will witness the struggle, but the "Ins" insist that a contest may not be expected until after harvest.

TALL RYE.—Benjamin Evans of Cadboro Bay farm has rye seven feet in hight.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

A house crowded to excess greeted the first representation of Uncle Tom's Cabin by the San Francisco Grand Opera House Combination at Theatre Royal last evening and in no respect were those present disappointed. Far from being disappointed everybody appeared to be delighted with the entertainment, and frequently during the several acts the applause was of the most demonstrative character. The drama abounds in so many pathetic and interesting situations that it would be useless, within a limited space, to attempt to revert to all of them, but several of the characters deserve especial mention, principal amongst them being those of Phineas Fletcher, admirably assumed by Mr. J. O. Barrows, an old favorite with Victorians, and Uncle Tom, taken by Mr. A. D. Billings. Both these parts were most faithfully pourtrayed as also was that of Lawyer Marks, an amusing member of the legal fraternity, by Mr. M. F. Kilday. The talent displayed by Zoe Tuttle, a pretty and captivating little child apparently of only some eight or nine years, in the character of Eva elicited general approbation and was in itself a wonderful piece of acting, the child seeming to enter into the pathos of the character with an accuracy which is rarely to be met with. The Topsey of Miss Carro True was unusually good, not only on account of that lady's very natural conception of the part, which is generally admitted to be a most difficult one, but on account of her vocal powers which are decidedly of no mean order. Mr. Allen made a first rate Legree, and Miss Alice Tuttle as Aunt Ophelia was exceedingly good. The dual characters of Eliza and Cassey were taken by Miss Nellie Holbrook to the satisfaction of the audience, and that of the auctioneer by Mr. Geo. Carpenter, who was evidently quite up to the business. The various plantation scenes incidental to the play were excellently represented and amongst the most attractive features of the evening's entertainment, were the melodies rendered by the Jubilee singers led by John Carter, a son of Mr. Paris Carter, of this city. The piece on the whole is without doubt one of the best that has ever been mounted in this city and is well worth witnessing. The manner in which it is produced by the combination gives an excellant idea of hardships suffered by the slaves of the "sunny South" and brings forward most vividly the good and bad traits of man's character. The entertainment will be repeated this evening, when an audience numerically and enthusiastically equal to that of last night is sure to be present; reserved seats should therefore be secured as early as possible to-day at Redfern's jewelry store.

The Lady Mordaunt Scandal.

The Paris *Amertcan Register* says: "The marriage of Sir Charles Mordaunt to Lord Leigh's neice, Miss Cholmondeley, is the final chapter of a long and often painfully interesting story. It is now nine years since Sir Charles petitioned for a divorce from his wife, who was one of a group of sisters famous for their beauty and high standing in society. Lady Mordaunt did not plead, and so in February, in 1870, the Judge of the Divorce Court directed a jury to try the question if she was or was not sane. The Prince of Wales was a witness on that occasion. The jury found that the respondent was insane. More than three years passed before Sir Charles brought an appeal to the House of Lords, and it was not till two years ago that he at least succeeded in proving his wife's guilt, and getting a release from the legal bond which bound him to her. Now, at 42, he is once more happy. Let us hope that he will continue to be so. He has had more than his share of sorrow. It was through a tragedy that he came into the baronetcy, for when he was only 9 years old his father was accidentally shot by a friend. He represented South Warwickshire in Parliament from 1859 to 1868. It is not given to many men to become a county member at 23. Probably we shall see him return to political life."

TRADE AND INDUSTRY are at a complete standstill in Germany. The iron trade is especially depressed, and most of the ironmasters in Westphalia are simply ruined. One large establishment, in which upwards of £1,000,000 sterling has been invested during the last five years, and on which there was what was considered a small mortgage debt of £180,000, has just been sold by the mortgagees and realized only £182,000.

THE steamship Dakota arrived on Sunday morning from San Francisco, having made the run in 64 hours and 10 minutes—beating her best time by 50 minutes, and again establishing her claim to be the swiftest vessel plying in the North Pacific waters.

STICKEEN.—Messrs. Callbreath, Grant, and Cook, of Cassiar, have purchased the new sternwheel steamer Nellie, and will place here immediately on Stickeen river. She is described as a powerful steamer, 83 feet in length, with 19 feet beam, and in every other respect is a first-class vessel.

THE steamer North Pacific arrived at 12:30 p.m. yesterday from the Sound with the mails, about 30 passengers and 400 sacks of flour. She also brought over 2 horses for Mr. Bowman.

COAL.—The arrivals at San Francisco from Pacific coast mines continues to be liberal. B. C. and Seattle coals show a slight improvement in price.

C.P.R.S.—Messrs. Cambie and Perry of the Canadian Pacific Railroad survey arrived in San Francisco yesterday evening *en route* for Victoria.

FOURTH OF JULY.—A challenge from the Portland cricket club to play a match at Portland on the Fourth of July, was accepted by the Victoria team yesterday.

THE COMMONS.—Mr. Wm. Dalby will be a candidate for the Commons in Victoria District. *

PEACE PROCLAIMED.—After ten years of active warfare! I have been at war with my customers for ten long years, and I am now ready to DYE FOR THEM at reduced rates. Gents' clothes cleaned and repaired; faded clothing and curtains restored and made to appear as good as when new. Customers abroad will not have reason to grumble at prices if they send their articles to T. W. Pierre, tailor and dyer, Yates street, opp. Alhambra Hall. Castoff clothing taken in exchange for work. *

Another Indian War.

BOISE CITY, I. T., May 30.—Two citizens, J. M. Baker and M. C. Campbell, arrived here at 7 o'clock this evening, having ridden ninety miles from their camp on Big Camas prairie since eleven o'clock a.m. to day. Before leaving two white men came into their camp who had been shot by Bannock Indians, one severely wounded in the head and the other dangerously wounded in the body and speechless when they left him. Baker and Campbell report about two hundred Bannock Indians encamped in the lava beds between the Big Camas prairie and Snake river, and led by Buffalo Horn, a noted Bannock scout, the one they now acknowledge as their chief. The Bannocks have been known for some time past to be contemplating hostilities and this Indian (Buffalo Horn) has been continually with them.

About two weeks ago Buffalo Horn was here with a small escort, endeavoring to purchase ammunition, but failed until he procured an order from Mason Brayman, governor of the territory, authorizing and recommending the selling of ammunition to him, on the ground that he was a good Indian and loyal. The citizens are much incensed against Brayman for giving the Indian this order, which was in plain violation of a standing order from the president, strictly prohibiting the sale or gift of ammunition to the Indians. Buffalo Horn left, well supplied with ammunition, procured by means of this order from Brayman, and he is now at the head of a formidable band of hostile Indians. He has told the settlers that they must leave the prairie or be killed, and has already commenced the work of massacre. About 90 mounted troops under Major Collins and Col. Bernard will leave here immediately for the scene of trouble. This force is entirely inadequate to the task of attacking the Indians in the lava beds, but will be able to afford protection to the settlers on the prairie.

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Morning Dispatch.

Another Attempt to Assassinate the Emperor of Germany.

He is Shot in the Arm and Face!

HIS ASSAILANT IN CUSTODY!

BERLIN, May 2.—While the Emperor was taking a drive this p.m. some shots, apparently proceeding from a house in the Avenue Unterder, Linden, were fired at him. The Emperor was wounded in one arm and on the cheek by buckshot and smaller shot. The would-be assassin is a Dr. Tobling, occupying apartments at No. 18 Unterder Linden. When his door was forced open he fired upon and wounded the hotel keeper and tried to commit suicide, but was secured. The Emperor's personal attendant jumped into the carriage and supported the Emperor until the carriage reached the palace. The Emperor was conveyed to bed and several grains of shot extracted causing great loss of blood. The Emperor suffered great pain, but never lost consciousness. At 7 o'clock this evening no serious apprehensions were felt as to his condition.

LONDON, June 1.—It is extremely difficult to obtain exact information about the sinking of the Grosser Kurfurst. The survivors were taken on board the other ironclads and nobody from either of the three vessels has landed at Folkstone or Dover. All the morning papers give different estimates of the number lost and saved. The Preussen was some distance astern at the time of the disaster and did not come up in time to assist in the rescue.

The latest statement is that out of 500 men on the Grosser Kurfurst about 210 were saved, including 13 officers, among whom was the captain, previously reported lost.

NEBRASKA.

OMAHA, Neb., June 1.—The Union Pacific Co. will arm all the train men on the express train owing to liability to robbery. Twenty-six repeating rifles were ordered to day.

Evening Dispatch.

EUROPE.

BERLIN, June 2—The following is taken from the official account and bulletins published in regard to the attempted assassination of the Emperor. Nobeling fired twice with a double-barreled gun. The Emperor received about 30 small shot in his face, head, both arms and back, but this evening his general condition had improved. Immense crowds from all parts of the city thronged into the avenue Unter Linden upon the news becoming heralded.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, May 31.—A dispatch from Rome says the Pope is ill in body and distressed in mind by plots and cabals designed to prevent the reforms he proposes. It is reported the Pope manifests a disposition to abdicate.

LONDON, May 30.—Both weavers and spinners of Macclesfield have agreed, unconditionally, to return to work at the 10 per cent. reduction demanded by the cotton masters.

The war feeling is considerably abated among military men. The state of suspense is wearing out the enthusiasm for service. The Russian corsair fleet and Russo-Fenian privateers keep alive naval hopes of war, and this will be further promoted by the grand naval review.

PARIS, May 30.—The *Univers* announces that the cardinal archbishop of Paris has ordered prayers in the cathedral of Notre Dame in expiation of the Voltaire celebration to-day.

EASTERN STATES.

PHILADELPHIA, May 30.—Alterations to the Columbus and State of California are progressing rapidly, the latter assuming the warlike appearance of a formidable corvette. She has been pierced for six guns and some are already on deck.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Wm. Cullen Bryant, the aged poet, slipped and fell down a flight of stone steps to-day, striking his head on the walk. He has since lain insensible.

AFRICA.

LONDON, May 30.—Serious news still comes by private dispatches from the Cape of Good Hope. There are new risings among the Kaffirs and fresh troops are going out.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—The body of Jas. Bannatyne, late cashier of Balfour, Guthrie & Co., drowned in the bay a few weeks ago, was recovered to-day.

UTAH.

SALT LAKE, May 30.—About ten o'clock last night four robbers boarded the west bound passenger train and proceeded to rob the passengers in the sleeping car. They stole several watches and some money and jumped off and escaped as the train came to a stand.

MURDER OF AN AMERICAN LADY.

The Sister of the United States Vice-Consul at Bucharest Assassinated by a Discarded Lover.

The Bucharest correspondent of the Edinburg *Scotsman* writes, April 19th, as follows:

A sad tragedy has just taken place here. The sister of the American Vice-Consul, a gentleman well-known and much respected, has been cruelly murdered by a young man who fell in love with her about three years ago. For various reasons the young lady's family refused their consent to the match, although one marriage had already taken place in the family, the lady's sister being married to W. Stladecker, the elder brother of the suitor. After some stormy scenes it was resolved that young Stladecker should go to Paris, where he has been staying until the last two weeks.

Returning to Bucharest, he found married to another the lady whom he loved, and at once seemed to lose his reason. Going into the room, a few days after his arrival, where the lady and her sister were alone, he commenced upbraiding her, and scarcely waiting for an answer, plunged a dagger into her breast. The wound was mortal, and with one shriek she fell to the floor, her sister trying to shield her from the fury of her assassin, who, unable to strike again to her heart, stabbed right and left into her limbs and body, it is said screwing the dagger round in the wounds he inflicted. Then, his object accomplished, he rushed off and tried to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a dagger, breaking it, however, and failing in the attempt.

Help coming when too late, the poor lady, who had been but four months married and was only 20 years of age, was laid on a couch. The murderer was also secured and taken to a hospital, and guarded by a gendarme. During the night he made an attempt to escape, which was frustrated, but on Tuesday, the 16th, he committed suicide. Saying he was unwell he was allowed to leave his chamber, followed by the sentinel. On entering a closet he drew the cord of his dressing-gown off, attached it knotted to a beam above him, and ended his life by hanging himself. He made no noise nor uttered a sound, and was discovered dead when the door was opened.

This has been a grievous blow to all the relations, who are Jews. Dr. Stern, the lady's brother, is well known here, both as filling the place of Consul for the United States, and by having translated Shakespeare's "Hamlet" into the Roumanian language.

THE TRAMP'S OPPORTUNITY.

English Recruiting Officers to Invite them over the Border.

A letter from Canada, received by Thos. Rigney & Co., merchants of Hanover square, this city, exposes a design on the part of the British Government to bring into the field against the Russians, in case of war, a contingent that will amount to 100,000 men. The writer of the letter acknowledges that the Dominion, under heavy pressure, could furnish but about half that amount. The rest, it is expected, will flock over the border, on the inducement of liberal bounties to enrol under the British standard. It is a part of the plan to open recruiting offices in great number along the boundary, and it is expected that the hard times in the States will operate to send recruits in droves to the other side of the line. The writer of the letter thinks this will be a great opportunity for the hordes of American tramps and vagrants who have become such a nuisance to the country, and has no doubt that they will avail themselves of the opportunity.—*N. Y. Star.*

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FALSE REPORT.—O. H. Goodwin wishes to correct an impression which prevails that he left Victoria with his friends a few days back. On the contrary, he is still to be heard of at M. W. Waitt's, where orders for piano tuning, repairing, &c., can be left as usual. *

LADIES' FANCY STORE, Fort street. Mrs. Chas. T. Warren, milliner, &c. *

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Notices:

In the Land Registry Office.

In atter of the Title to Lot 220 in the City of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," that I shall issue, in the name of Evelyn B. Falkner, a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot number 220 in the City of Victoria, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
8th May, 1878. my8

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLTMBIA.

VICTORIA, By the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.
To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature, We do make Our Royal Will and Pleasure to call a new Legislative Assembly of Our said Province; and do further declare that, by the advice of Our Executive Council of British Columbia, we have this day given orders for issuing Our Writs in due form, for calling a new Legislative Assembly for Our said Province, which Writs are to bear date on the Twelfth day of April, instant, and to be returnable on or before the Twenty-ninth day of June next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twelfth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and in the forty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.
HENRY S. MASON,
Acting Registrar Supreme Court. ap14

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Gabriola Island Wharf," wi'l be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock Monday, June 3rd next, for the construction of a wharf on Gabriola Island, at a point above upper end of False Narrows abreast of d Narrows.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained at the office of the Government Agent, Nanaimo, and at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute Bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $400, for the faithful completion of the work.

No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute Bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, May 20th, 1878. my19dw

New Westminster District

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender for Coast Meridian Road," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, June 3d next, for the construction of a Road from New Westminster and Hope, along Coast Meridian to road from Langley to Ladner's Landing.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute bond can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, and at the office of the Government Agent, at New Westminster.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a Bond, duly signed by the contractor himself and two other responsible residents of the Province, in enal sum amounting to $360 for the faithful completion of the work.

No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with agreement to execute a Bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, May 18th, 1878. my19dw

Notice to Claimants of Land.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following lands in New Westminster District, have been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., New Westminster, viz:—

W. ½ Section 27, Township No. 12.
H. ½ 28, " 12.
S. ½ of S. E. ¼ Section 33, Township No. 12
Lot 430, Group 1.
Lot 7, Group 3.

And that claimants to any portion of this land should prove up their claims in accordance with the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, April 23d, 1878. ap28dw

Notice to Mariners.

THE FRASER RIVER LIGHT SHIP WILL be removed from her moorings on Saturday the 18th inst., and will be absent for repair about two weeks.

JAMES COOPER,
Agent Dept. Marine and Fisheries.

Victoria, B.C., May 16, 1878. my17dw
(Free Press copy.)

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO'Y.
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Notices.

WHEREAS A NOTICE WAS ISSUED on the 10th of November, 1867, that a Reward of One Hundred Dollars would be paid to any person giving information to the Naval Authorities which led to the conviction of any party conniving at the desertion of seamen or others from Her Majesty's ships employed on the coast of British Columbia, the undersigned hereby gives public notice of the withdrawal of the abovenamed offer of reward.

From the date hereof no reward will be paid under the aforesaid, and now cancelled, notice; but attention is called to the 25th section of the Naval Discipline Act, 1866, which imposes a penalty not exceeding THIRTY POUNDS sterling on persons convicted summarily before a Justice of the Peace of assisting seamen or others of Her Majesty's Navy who desert, or are **improperly absent from their duty**; and which section further authorises the application of the penalty in such manner as the Naval Department may direct, which would probably be either one-half or the whole of the penalty recovered to the informer on the conviction of the offender.

Similarly Section 26 of the same Act imposes a penalty of TWENTY POUNDS on any person summarily convicted of persuading to desert or to be **improperly absent from duty**. The application of the penalty is in like manner at the discretion of the Naval Department.

A. F. R. DeHORSEY,
Rear Admiral and Commonder-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Naval Forces in the Pacific.

"SHAH" at Sea,
Lat. 23deg. 32min. S., Long. 73deg. 41min. W.
15th March, 1878. my9

"Land Registry Ordnance, 1870."

In the matter of the Title to Victoria Town (now City) Lot No. 593.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in pursuance of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," that I shall issue in the name of Li Hing a duplicate Certificate of Title to Victoria Town (now City) Lot number 593, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

Dated at the Land Registry office, Victoria, this 26th day of April, 1878.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General of Titles.
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Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO the Postmaster-General, will be received at Victoria until noon on **Friday the 21st June, 1878**, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for Four Years, once per month each way between Fort Wrangel, Alaska, and Dease Creek, Cassiar, on and from the 1st August next.

The mode of conveyance to be at the option of the contractor.

The mails to leave Fort Wrangel about the Fifth day of the months of April, May, June, July, August, September and October, or as soon as possible after the arrival there of the United States mail steamers from Port Townsend, W. T.

To proceed to Dease Creek, Cassiar, and return to Fort Wrangel in time to connect with the United States mail steamers for Port Townsend, W.T., about the Tenth day of the months of May, June, July, August, September, October and November.

Each Tender to state the price asked per trip in words at length.

The Postmaster-General will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Postoffices at Fort Wrangel, Glenora, Cassiar and Victoria or at the office of the subscriber.

R. WALLACE,
Postoffice Inspector.

Postoffice Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 27th April, 1878. ap28dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by A. W. Vowell, Esq., Gold Commissioner, Cassiar District, at Laketon, up to 12 o'clock noon on the 10th June, 1878, for the Right of Maintaining a Fer for the term of five (5) years across Rapid River, at point intersected by the trail from Sylvester's Landing to Walker's Creek.

The said Ferry to be capable of carrying not less than ten (10) pack animals and their loads. The Ferry right to extend five (5) miles above and five (5) miles below the crossing.

Tenders to state the rent proposed, the rate of toll for passengers, animals and freight.

Officers and Freight of the Provincial Government to pass free.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Depim't,
Victoria, 7th Nov., 1877. no8

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th May, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to modify an Order of Council, of the 15th March last, referring to the destruction of Wolves and Panthers, to the effect that,—

In future for every Wolf and Panther killed in a settled district in the Province of British Columbia, the sum of Five ($5) Dollars may be paid on the production of a Certificate from a Justice of the Peace that the animal was killed in a Settled District, and that the head of such animal was destroyed in his presence.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Provincial Secretary.
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Notice to Claimants of Land.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

TOWNSHIP No. 30.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following Sections in Township No. 30 have been subdivided by survey, and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster, viz:—

North-West ¼, Section 5.
West ½ of North-East ¼, Section 5.
North-East ¼, Section 6.
South-West ¼ of South-East ½, Section 8.
South ½ of South-West ½, Section 8.
North-East ¼, Section 10.
South West ¼, Section 11.
Lot 446, Group 2.
Lot 447, Group 2.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in accordanee with the "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declarations can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, May 18th, 1878. my21

STARCH!

USE DURYEA'S STARCH—THE BEST in the Market.
For sale to the trade in lots to suit by
ap18 6m F. NEUFELDER & CO.

To Contractors.

WHOLE OR SEPARATE TENDERS WILL BE received at my office, Langley street, on Saturday the 1st June inst., at noon, for the erection of a Store at the corner of Yates and Broad streets. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

my21 H. O. TIEDEMANN, Architect.

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REAPERS & MOWERS
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THE STOCK TO BE DISPOSED OF WITHIN 30 DAYS!!

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The Whole Stock must be Disposed of, as a SPEEDY SALE is the object regardless of any Advance heretofore asked.

GOODS WILL BE SOLD

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VICTORIA, May 6th, 1878.



FRESH GOODS,
NEW STYLES!

H. MANSELL

Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already
Well Selected Stock of
BOOTS & SHOES,



Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.
Country Orders promptly attended to.

Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.
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A VERY LARGE STOCK OF
NOVELTIES FOR THE SEASON
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COMPRISING IN PART:

Dress Goods—Plain and Fancy Lustres, New Brocades, Poplin and Sicilian Cloths, Mural Cloths, Tasso, Piquet, Mariposa and Yosemite Cloths, New Prints in great variety, Grenadines, Checked Swiss, &c., &c.

Costumes in Balermo, Batiste, Tasso and Linen, &c.

Straw Hats—Newest shapes, in Ladies' and Children's Sailor's Hats, &c.

Millinery Trimmings, Feathers, Turquoise, Satins, Silks, Birds.

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T. W. Carter's
LACK HAWK MORGAN TROTTING STALLION
"WELLINGTON"

WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 AT Hillside Farm, Victoria, commencing May 1st and ending August 1st.

Terms $15 for the Season, or $20 to ensure.

Proper care will be taken to prevent accidents; but no responsibilities assumed. Will also stand at the following places:—Harry Simpson's, South Saanich, 1st May; Harry Wain's, North Saanich, 2nd May; at Henderson's, Mount Newton Hotel, 3d May; at Hill side Farm, from the 4th to the 8th May; and at each of the above places every ninth day. Will be taken to any Farm upon application. Postoffice Box 223.

PEDIGREE:

Wellington, 1412lbs., is 17 hands high, 6 years old. Wellington was sired by Handley's Paul Jones, he by Paul Jones by J. G. McCracken's Black Hawk, by David Hill or Vermont Black Hawk. Paul Jones' dam by Candidate, he by Old Grog, dam by Comet the Fish or Eastman Horse of California, he by David Hill of Vermont Black Hawk, &c,. &c.

T. W. CARTER,
3map23dw Hillside Farm.

BLACK HAWK MORGAN, JUNIOR

WAS BRED BY MR. BURY, OF CLARASville, County of Elgin, Ontario, foaled June 5th, 1869; is a beautiful black; stands 15 hands 3 in. high, and weighs 1260 lbs; was sired by the Davis Black Hawk Morgan, he by Lamphers Black Hawk, he by the old Vermont (or Hills) Black Hawk, he by Sherman Morgan, and he by Justin Morgan. The Dam of the Davis Black Hawk Morgan was sired by Tonetrue and he by Sir Timothy, and he, by the celebrated Arabian Horse Old Bossorah. Sir Timothy's Dam was Lady Augilico, sired by Sir Archy, the father of Henry and son of Diomede. Dam of Tonetrue was sired by old Durock, the sire of American Eclipse, Grand Dam by imported Light Infantry, son of English Eclipse, great grand dam by imported Malton.

The above took first prize at Oregon State Fair when he was five years old against 14 competitors as roadster; four first prizes at Saanich each consecutive year; took three first prizes and 2 silver medals in Victoria as roadster and coach horse.

He will be located every Friday and Saturday at G. F. Tilbury's V. S. Board Stables, Yates street, above Blanchard.

$15 Single Leap; $25 for the Season.

For further particulars see card. ap7 2mdw

Thoroughbred Shorthorn BULL
"CONQUEROR."
RED—Calved February 14th, 1872.



BRED BY MESSRS. J. & W. WATT, Nichol Co., of Wellington. The property of W. Turgoose, Victoria, B. C.

Got by Oxford Prince [1925]; dam Nina by Duke Imperial ,5526, gr d Nellie by Reynolds ,6115, g gr d Genesee by Eclipse ,1501, Nightingale by Nigel ,1927½, Fanny Fern by Buena Vista ,1299½, Mary by Gold Eagle ,535, Alice Day by Prince Hal ,866, Martha by Daniel Boone (11330) etc.

This Bull has taken First or Second Prize wherever shown.

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Veterinary Surgeon, corner of Yates and Blanchard streets, from whom all particulars can be had.

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TROTTING STALLION "Mc"

RECORD 2:39.



WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 at his owner's Farm,

OAK BAY,

One mile from the City Limits of Victoria,

At $25 FOR THE SEASON.

Should the Mare not prove with Foal she will be entitled to be served again next season without charge.

Mares will be cared for at $1 per week in good pasture. All accidents at owner's risk.

"Mc" was bred by the late John Duncan, of San Francisco, California, is dark bay in color, 15¾ hands high, weight 1,100 pounds.

PEDIGREE!

"Mc" was foaled on the 16th May, 1867, sired by Sawyer's Colt, he by Stockbridge Chief, he by Vermont Black Hawk, Stockbridge Chief's dam by Sir Charles, he by Durdock Messenger, he by Imported Messenger, he by Membrino, his dam by Turf, granddam by Reguius, he by Stirling, he by Fox. Dam of the Sawyer's Colt was San Jose Damsel by Easton's David Hill, he by Vermont Black Hawk, her dam the dam of Dashaway, the celebrated two-mile horse. "Mc's" dam was by General Taylor, out of thorough mare imported to the State from Missouri by — Haskell, Esq. General Taylor by the famous Morse Horse, he by imported Norman (from France). Dam of Morse Horse by Ogden's Messenger, he by imported Messenger, his dam Katy Fisher by imported Highflier, grand-dam, dam of Jersey Eclipse.—Copied from Wallace's Trotting Register.

J. S. BOWKER, Oak Bay.
P. O. Box 230, Victoria, B. C. mh5dw

Medical.

MR. HELMCKEN

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The Doctor has spared neither time nor money in seeking out new remedies, and has returned with increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

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Cache Creek, May 16th, 1878. my16dw

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WM. H. RITCHESON.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 18, 1878. fe1

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FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor

RATES OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
Board per Week	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beads	50

A Fireproof Safe in the House. fe8

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RATES:

Board & Lodging per Week	$6 00
Board per Week	5 00
Lodging per Night	50
Single Meals	37½

No pains will be spared to provide guests with every convenience and comfort.

Mrs. JOHN BENNETT.
Dec. 10, 1877. de11

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STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD
Victoria, B. C.

Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

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